TRANSMITTAL LETTER Case No. 10466/131 TECH CENTER 1600/2900 Client Ref. No. P2548P1C12 l No. Filing Date Examiner Group Art Unit 944,862 August 31, 2001 **Bronwen Loeb** 1636 ventor(s) Kevin P. Baker et al. Title of Invention SECRETED AND TRANSMEMBRANE POLYPEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING THE SAME TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is Transmittal Letter (in dup.); Amendment and Request for Consideration (in postcard evidencing receipt. Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted. Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR1.27. Petition for a \_\_\_\_\_month extension of time. No additional fee is required. The fee has been calculated as shown below: Other Than Small Entity Small Entity Claims Highest No. or Remaining Previously Present Add'l I'bbA After Paid For Extra Rate Fee Rate Amendment Total 16 Minus 20 x \$9 =x \$18 =0 Indep. Minus 3 x 42 =x \$84 =252.00 First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim + \$140 = + \$280= 0 Total Total \$252.00 add'l fee add'I fee X Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE) in the amount of \$252.00. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. M I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Respectfu Registration No. 47/459

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## **AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 11, 2003, the Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in light of the following amendments and remarks.

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